



## Business Directory.

**J. F. BAUMANN,**  
**ARCHITECT**  
Supt. of Buildings.  
Office:  
Over E. T. National Bank,  
Gay Street.

**FIRE INSURANCE.**  
F. F. ATWELL, AGENT.  
Home Insurance Co., N. Y. Assets \$5,754,214  
Continental do do do 3,666,325  
Franklin of Philadelphia do 3,308,856

**FAMILY GROCERIES.**  
C. C. LOCKE, No. 22, east side Market Square  
Commission Merchant and dealer in Family  
Groceries. Country Produce bought and sold.

**NOTARY PUBLIC.**  
CHAS. B. BROWN,  
NOTARY PUBLIC.  
Office at the East Tennessee National Bank.

**O. P. TEMPLE,** Attorney at Law, at his old  
Office, East Side of Gay Street, near the  
residence of S. T. Atkin. Charges moderate.

**"THE IMPERIAL"**  
Coal Cooking Stove  
AND

**"The New Capitola"**  
Wood Cooking Stove

HAVE EVERY  
IMPROVEMENT OF  
Utility, Value and Beauty.

THEY ARE NOT  
Surpassed by any Stoves  
sold in  
East Tennessee.

Call and examine, or write for prices.  
**HAVEY, ROLEN & CO.,**  
Stoves and Tinware,  
MARKET SQUARE,  
KNOXVILLE, TENN.

INDICATIONS: For Tennessee and  
the Ohio Valley, north to east winds,  
partly cloudy weather, occasional  
rains, rising, followed by stationary  
barometer, falling, followed by rising  
temperature.

THE greatest problem now given the  
American people for solution is,  
whether the Congress is the legisla-  
tive department of this Government,  
or the Democratic caucus.

WHAT will the Brigadiers do with  
Mr. Robeson's amendment? Those  
minority fellows do manage to put a  
great many thorns in the path of the  
caucus.

It is reported that in Russia when-  
ever a man doesn't pay his taxes, he is  
flogged by the tax-gatherer. When I  
saw "Unfruct" Tilden lived there,  
wouldn't he catch it pretty lively? It  
would take all his income to pay the  
burial expenses of the tax-gatherers  
who were brought to an early grave by  
attempting to give him the stripes he  
deserved.

It is said that many Congressmen  
think the President's veto message  
was insulting. The trouble about all  
this is that these so-called statesmen  
have so long thought that the Presi-  
dent had only a piece of gristle for a  
backbone, that now when it has so  
suddenly ossified they are completely  
upset, and magnify mole-hills into  
mountains. Since this ossification has  
taken place, it is not very likely that  
the President will take any trouble to  
pour oil on the troubled waters. Lowe  
might challenge him though.

MR. KIDDLE, Superintendent of  
Public Schools of the city of New  
York, has gone over to the Spiritual-  
ists, and the papers there are "poking"  
fun at him. He has written a book on  
the subject, and in it claims to have  
held familiar discourse with the spirits  
of Shakespeare, Lafayette, Byron,  
Prince Albert, A. T. Stewart and even  
St. Peter. By this it will be seen that  
he is decidedly aristocratic in his  
tastes. As the Kiddle puts it, "the  
influence of the Saint's spirit" was  
"calm and beautiful and spiritually  
joyous." He gravely informs us that La  
Fayette was a "happy spirit" but  
"restless." Jim Fisk is put down as  
in a "suffering state."

SOME newspapers have been talking  
of Zeb. Chandler as a candidate for  
President in 1880. He doesn't look very  
favorably on the idea, though, and  
says: "People may nominate me for the  
Presidency as long as they please, but  
I am not and never will be, a candi-  
date. Some of the loudest talk about  
me have come from papers that have  
criticized the Administration of Gen.  
Grant, of which I was a part, and I  
never have and never will allow it to  
be said that I am better than the Ad-  
ministration. I am not the candidate  
of Pharisaical reformers for any office,  
and have no part or lot with them; as  
for the Presidency, I am too old and  
tough to get that fever, besides I know  
a better man."

MEMPHIS, May 5.—A special  
telegram to the Ledger from Stark-  
ville, Miss., states that Johnson  
Spencer and Newlin Porter, the  
barn burners and attempted assass-  
ins of Jordan Moore, a few days  
since, were taken from the jail by a  
body of armed men Saturday night,  
white and black, and hanged.

## TELEGRAPHIC.

Congress Wrangles Another Day  
Over the Military at Elec-  
tions Question.

Mr. Robeson Tests the Brigadiers  
by a Fair Substitute,

But They Defeat the Same by a  
Strict Party Vote.

## XLVI CONGRESS.

## SENATE.

WASHINGTON, May 6.

Mr. McDonald reported from the  
Judiciary Committee, with amend-  
ments, the bill introduced yesterday  
by Mr. Eaton, making it unlawful  
to use any part of the army and  
navy at the polls, etc. He gave  
notice that he would call it up to-  
morrow.

Mr. Beck reported from the Com-  
mittee on Appropriations, with  
amendments, the Legislative, Execu-  
tive and Judicial bill, and gave  
notice that he would call it up at  
an early day.

The Senate proceeded to the con-  
sideration of the resolution reported  
from the Committee on Privileges  
and Elections authorizing the taking  
of testimony on the memorial of  
Mr. Spofford, who contests the seat  
of Mr. Kellogg, of Louisiana. Mr.  
Hoar offered a substitute declar-  
ing that the Senate had already  
settled the case on its merits, by  
declaring Mr. Kellogg entitled to a  
seat.

An animated discussion followed,  
pending which the Senate ad-  
journed.

During the debate the President  
pro tem. announced the reception of  
the House bill to prohibit military  
interference at the polls, and it was  
read a first time.

Mr. Edmunds said that as the  
measure was very important he must  
object to a second reading of the  
bill to-day with a view to its refer-  
ence to a committee.

## HOUSE.

The morning hour was consumed  
in the introduction and reference of  
bills.

The House concurred in Senate  
amendments to the bill providing for  
certain expenses of the present ses-  
sion.

Mr. Knott, Chairman of the Judi-  
ciary Committee, reported back  
without amendment the bill intro-  
duced yesterday to prohibit military  
interference at elections.

Mr. Robeson offered a substitute,  
making it unlawful to bring to or  
employ at any place where a gen-  
eral or special election is being held  
in a State, any part of the army or  
navy, unless such employment shall  
be necessary to carry out the pro-  
visions of the Constitution, or over-  
come forcible obstructions to the  
laws made in pursuance thereof,  
and making any violation of this  
act a penal offense. The substitute  
is entitled, "A bill to further pro-  
tect the freedom of elections."

Mr. Robeson's substitute bill was  
defeated by a vote of yeas 93, nays  
121, after which the original bill  
to prohibit military interference at  
elections, was passed by a strict  
party vote.

Mr. Chalmers attempted to call  
up the resolution heretofore offered  
by him for the investigation of the  
Fort Pillow massacre, but the  
House adjourned without taking  
action on his motion.

All the Greenbackers voting,  
voted in the affirmative with the  
Democrats, on the bill to prohibit  
military interference at the polls.  
Messrs. Barlow and Russell of North  
Carolina, did not vote.

## WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The  
Senate Judiciary Committee, at a  
special meeting this morning, took  
action upon the bill introduced by  
Mr. Eaton yesterday, "To prohibit  
military interference at elections,"  
and by a party vote decided to  
recommend its passage with two  
amendments. The first provides  
that the bill's prohibition against  
bringing to or employing troops at  
polls shall not apply to the use of  
a military force when necessary to  
protect the State against invasion."

The other amendment inserts the  
words "When the legislature can  
not be convened," in the after clause,  
which exempts from prohibition  
the employment of the army or navy  
to enforce the 4th Section of  
Article 4 of the Constitution and  
laws made in pursuance thereof  
upon the application of the Legis-  
lature or the Executive of the State.  
The principle amendments made  
by the Senate Committee on Ap-  
propriations to the Legislative, Ex-  
ecutive and Judicial Appropriation

bill as reported to the Senate to-  
day are those which were agreed  
upon by the Committee yesterday,  
including the omission of House  
clause directing the ten millions re-  
serve to be issued in payment of  
arrears of pensions.

A resolution was introduced in  
the House to-day, tendering the  
thanks of the American people to  
Mexico for its hearty contribution  
to the success of the Industrial  
Mission of American Merchants  
and Manufacturers recently visiting  
the City of Mexico, which will ex-  
tend the friendly commercial rela-  
tions our countrymen have been so  
instrumental in establishing.

The House Committee on Ways  
and Means met to-day and ap-  
pointed a sub-committee, of which  
Representative Carlisle is Chairman,  
to take under consideration and re-  
port to the full committee on all the  
bills now before them relating to  
the subject of Internal Revenue.  
No other business was transacted at  
to-day's meeting.

The Cabinet to-day again discus-  
sed the Indian Territory question  
and the threatened frontier invasion  
of that section. It was decided that  
in case of an invasion by whites the  
Indian service would have to call  
for troops, to be used as a posse  
comitatus for preventing such viola-  
tion of the law and to eject persons  
who have already invaded the In-  
dian Territory.

## NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Longshore-  
men still continue to hold out against  
the twenty-five cents per hour ar-  
rangement of the various ocean  
steamships along the North river.  
Circassia, of the Anchor line, was  
advised to sail last Saturday, but  
did not get away until to-day. The  
company advertised for 200 men at  
25 cents per hour, and promise  
regular weekly wages to steady  
men.

At the State Line dock the new  
hands are working on the State of  
Pennsylvania, and the company  
says she will sail on time next  
Thursday. City of Chester, of the  
Indiana line, will also be ready to  
sail on Thursday. Wyoming, of  
the Guier line, left this morning,  
laden principally with grain.  
Baltic, of the White Star line,  
will sail Saturday as advertised.

NEW YORK, May 5.—To-day  
while a number of men employed  
on the elevated railroad now being  
built on First avenue were sitting  
in the shade of a pile of bricks  
eating dinner the whole pile fell.  
Several of the men were seriously  
injured.

The Baptist Pastor's Conference  
had the case of Dr. Fulton before  
them again to-day. The Confer-  
ence rescinded the former resolu-  
tions affecting Dr. Fulton's good  
standing and restored him to full  
membership.

## MASSACHUSETTS.

POCASSETT, May 5.—The select  
men arrived at Pocasset this morn-  
ing, and a public meeting was held  
at the Bay View House. Captain  
John Beerman was chosen as chair-  
man, and David Nye secretary.  
Several persons gave in their testi-  
mony who have held conversation  
with those who are said to be acces-  
sory to the crime after the child  
died. From evidence received, it  
was voted unanimously to arrest  
the following named persons, acces-  
sory to the crime after the deed:  
Alden P. Davis, Chas. F. Howard,  
Nathaniel Wing, Alvin Wing, Wal-  
ter H. Wing, Phineas Gibbs, Jr.,  
Harriet N. Swift and Ann Louise  
Howard.

## PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA, May 6.—Edward  
Parr, sixty years old, stabbed his  
daughter, Susan Irvin, aged 30, this  
morning, inflicting fatal injuries.  
Family difficulties caused the  
tragedy.

Henry Hall, charged with being  
concerned in the robbery of the Man-  
hattan Savings Bank of New York,  
last October, has been committed  
to await a requisition from the New  
York authorities.

Hall has been identified as John  
Dodd, a resident of New York, and  
a well known associate of burglars.

## TEXAS.

GALVESTON, TEXAS, May 5.—A  
special to the News from Overton  
says: "J. S. Young and John  
Riley who had been confined in jail  
for drunkenness attempted to es-  
cape by setting fire to the building.  
The flames spread rapidly, and, be-  
ing unable to extinguish them, were  
both burned to death."

A special to the News from  
Hemstead says: "As the congrega-  
tion were leaving the Methodist  
Church yesterday Col. Jared E.  
Kirby shot and killed John Steele,  
who in a quarrel fourteen years ago  
killed Kirby's father."

## CANADA.

STRATFORD, ONT. May 5.—This  
morning the whole town was shaken  
as if by the shock of an earthquake.  
Windows were blown in and every  
side walk upon which people were  
walking was shaken so as to cause  
pedestrians to fall. The cause was  
soon made apparent. A car laden  
with Dynamite had ex-  
ploded at the Grand Trunk  
freight yard. The wreck made by  
the explosion beggars description.  
Underneath the dynamite car a hole  
several feet deep had been scooped  
out. The ends of the brick freight  
shed and a portion of its roof were  
blown down. Several frame build-  
ings were leveled to the ground, and  
long lines of freight cars lying in  
the yard were utterly wrecked. The  
business part of the town is  
nearly a mile from the scene of  
the explosion, but it shared in the  
disaster. Valuable  
plate glass windows were blown in,  
frames and all. The damage done  
to property is estimated at many  
thousand dollars. Two railway  
employees were working in the  
yard, Frank Lemoine, of Montreal,  
and Thos. Dolan, of Stratford, were  
blown into fragments, the foot of  
one of them being found two hun-  
dred yards off. Others were in-  
jured, but the whole extent of the  
disaster can not be known for some  
time yet.

The damage done by the explo-  
sion is much greater than was ex-  
pected. The houses around the  
freight shed were nearly all wooden  
buildings, and several were blown  
into minute fragments. Some fifty  
were blown up into splinters, and  
as many more were damaged. Mr.  
Flynn, the checker, is among the  
badly injured. A fragment of iron  
weighing over a pound was driven  
through the window of the Crown  
Hotel, half a mile distant. The  
shock was felt in all the surround-  
ing towns, and it was supposed to  
be an earthquake.

The car upon which the explosion  
occurred was freighted at Montreal  
for Amherstburg, and contained 30  
packages which were entered as  
blasting powder. They were shipped  
on account of Vanderbilt, to be used  
in blasting at the Detroit Tunnel.  
When the explosion occurred the  
cars were being shunted in the yard.  
The damage will exceed \$25,000.  
Geo. Hawkins, a car dealer, had  
both his eyes put out by splinters,  
and is not expected to live. James  
Humphrey is badly cut about the  
head and face, but may recover.  
Alfred Lamb was badly injured.

## CONNECTICUT.

STAMFORD, CONN., May 6.—Mi-  
chael McNamara, formerly clerk of  
the Massachusetts House, Springfield,  
Mass., in attempting to board the  
train at Stamford Station, last  
night, fell and had his head com-  
pletely severed from his body.

## MINOR DISPATCHES.

CLEVELAND, O., May 6.—Yester-  
day Dr. Ezra Rose, proprietor of a  
Drug store at Palmyra, Portage  
county, Ohio, invited Sylvester  
Canfield to try some new liquor  
which he had just received. By  
mistake they each drank about two  
ounces of aconite. The Doctor  
died in a few hours. Canfield is in  
a precarious situation.

CHICAGO, May 6.—Gray, who at-  
tempted to shoot Booth, pleaded  
guilty of assault with intent to kill,  
and was remanded for sentence un-  
til Mr. Booth shall have made his  
statement in court, and inquiry is  
made into the mental condition of  
the prisoner.

## FOREIGN NEWS.

CAPTOWN, April 16.—There is  
no military news. Preparations for  
a general advance are proceeding.  
Sir Battle Fire met with an excel-  
lent reception from Boers, and it is  
believed everything will be satisfac-  
torily arranged.

CAIRO, May 5.—The British and  
French notes have been presented  
to the Khedive. They express deep  
regret at recent events, and declare  
that the Khedive will be held re-  
sponsible for the consequences.  
They urge the appointment of Euro-  
pean ministers, vice Messrs. Wilson  
and Deligiers, but it does not in-  
sist upon it. The Khedive has not  
yet replied. It is believed he will  
refuse to appoint European minis-  
ters.

LONDON, May 6.—The temporary  
order granted by Vice-Chancellor  
Bacon, on application of Mr. Mc-  
Henry, April 30, retaining General  
Sir J. Balfour, Mr. Charles Lewis  
and another person from carrying  
out the proposed lease of the At-  
lantic and Great Western Railroad  
to the Erie Railway Company was  
vacated to-day. Hearing of motion  
for injunction was postponed until  
Thursday.

## Decorations Ceremonies.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., May 6, 1879.  
At a meeting, called by Capt. W. W.  
Woodruff, President of the Decoration  
Committee, held in the P. O. building,  
the report of Treasurer White was  
presented, which shows a balance of  
thirty-nine dollars and twenty-five  
cents in the treasury.

The following officers were elected  
for the ensuing year:  
W. P. Chamberlain, President.  
A. S. Prosser, Vice-President.  
A. R. Houser, Secretary.  
Chas. W. DePue, Treasurer.  
The following resolution was adopt-  
ed: Resolved, That a committee of two  
be appointed to confer with a view to  
a uniform decoration of the cemeteries  
of both the Federal and Confederate  
dead.

The following gentlemen were se-  
lected as the committee: Thomas H.  
Head, Esq., Maj. D. A. Carrington,  
Gen. Jos. A. Cooper, Capt. Wm. Hale,  
Col. H. H. Ingersoll.

H. C. SQUIER, Sec'y.

## MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, May 6.  
Money, 2 1/2. Exchange, 4 5/8.  
4 1/2. Governments firm, 4 1/2. States  
dull.

Flour a shade stronger; Southern  
flour steady and quiet; common to fair  
extra \$4.75-5.00; good to choice old,  
\$5.00-5.75. Wheat, July better, good  
export and fair speculative inquiry,  
and closing strong; ungraded winter  
red, \$1.10-1.14; No. 2 do, \$1.15-1.16.  
Corn 1/2¢ better and a fair business for  
ungraded, 43-44; No. 3 43. Oats 1/2¢  
higher and moderately active, 24 for  
No. 3 white. Cattle dull. Rio quoted  
in cargoes at 10 1/4; in J. B. 10 1/2, 10 3/4.  
Sugar firm and a fair inquiry for  
far to good refining quoted at 6 1/2-6 3/4;  
prime, 6 1/2-6 3/4; in good demand and  
firm. Molasses unchanged and  
dull. Rice in moderate demand and  
steady. Pork firmer and rather quiet,  
closing easy; mess on spot, \$9.00 for  
old; new quoted at \$10.00; August,  
\$10.05; middling steady and quiet; long  
clear quoted at \$4.95; short clear, \$5.12;  
long and short clear, \$5.00-5.15. Lard  
firm and weak, prime steam, \$6.20.  
Whisky dull.

CINCINNATI, May 6.—Four steady  
unchanged, \$4.50-5.00. Wheat steady  
and in demand; red and white, \$1.00-  
1.06. Corn dull, 35-38. Oats dull, 28-  
31. Pork dull and nominal, \$9.75.  
Lard dull, current make, \$5.90. Bulk  
meats quiet, unchanged. \$2.40, cost;  
short ribs, \$4.40, cost; 33 1/2; short ribs,  
\$4.60. Bacon quiet; shoulders, 4 1/2;  
clear rib, 5 1/2; clear sides, 5 1/2. But-  
ter steady and unchanged. Whisky in  
fair demand and steady, \$1.01. Sugar  
steady and unchanged. House sugar  
but a shade lower; common, \$2.50-3.10;  
light, \$3.20-3.45; packing, \$3.30-3.50.  
Butter, \$3.50-3.60; receipts, 1500;  
shipments, 715.

## Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE  
No. 35, in the case of P. Stubb et al., vs.  
G. W. Stubb et al., issued by the Clerk of  
the Circuit Court at Knoxville, Tenn., and  
to me directed, I will, on Monday, the 21st  
day of June, 1879, in front of the court  
house door, in the city of Knoxville, Tenn.,  
offer for sale at public outcry, the fol-  
lowing property, to-wit: One lot, situate  
in the 21st civil district of Knox county,  
Tenn., bounded as follows: to the north  
by the lot of J. B. Stubb, to the east by the  
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GENERAL MILLWRIGHT

MILLS BUILT AND REPAIRED. ALL  
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dresses at reasonable rates.  
Renovated—John P. Beach, Knoxville City  
Mill, E. A. R. Smith, Knoxville Leather Co.  
John Demarest, Magnolia Mills, J. M. Ross, Trio  
Mills, Knoxville. sep29w1m

\$3 GOLD PLATED WATCHES. Cheapest  
in the known world. Complete Watch Rep-  
airs. Address, A. COULTER & CO., Chicago.

COFFIN, WILSON & CO.,  
Wholesale Grocers

Corner Gay and Reservoir Streets,

Keep the Largest Stock of

STAPLE AND FANCY

## GROCERIES,

KEPT IN

EAST TENNESSEE,

AND

Allow no one to Undersell Them.

SOLE AGENTS FOR

HAZARD RIFLE AND BLASTING POWDER.

GREAT CHANGE  
IN BUSINESS.

The oldest CLOTHING HOUSE in town has dissolved and

N. STERN

Keeps the business at the OLD STAND. The large stock of

## CLOTHING

—AND—

Gents' Furnishing Goods

Will and must be sold in 60 DAYS far below cost for cash. My stock  
is paid for and therefore I am able to sell GOODS lower  
than any other House in the City.

Now, if you want today Good Clothing, for CASH,  
at a LOW PRICE call at my store at once as my  
stock must be sold.

I keep the EAGLE WHITE SHIRT at \$12.00 per dozen, open  
FRONT and BACK, all sizes, and offer

\$25.00

To any one who can beat the same SHIRT in Price and Quality.

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